

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Harald GROEGER, et al.

GAU: 1633

SERIAL NO: 10/593,567

EXAMINER: POPA, ILEANA

FILED: August 21, 2007

FOR: PROCESS FOR PREPARING OPTICALLY ACTIVE AMINO ACIDS USING A
WHOLE-CELL CATALYST

NOTICE OF APPEAL

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated October 28, 2011

The items checked below are appropriate:

- ☒ A Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 was filed for two- months.
 - ☒ A timely response to the final rejection **has been filed**, as provided in 841 O.G. 1411.
 - ☒ A Petition for Extension of Time for filing the Notice of Appeal is attached.
 - ☐ A Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review is attached.
- Fee: \$540.00
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
 - ☒ Credit card payment is being made online (if electronically filed), or is attached hereto (if paper filed), covering any required fees.
 - ☐ Charge to Deposit Account No. **15-0030**.
 - ☒ Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment of fees required for filing the Notice of Appeal to Deposit Account No. **15-0030**.
 - ☒ If this notice is not considered timely filed by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. §1.136, and any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 for any necessary extension of time may be charged to Deposit Account No. **15-0030**.

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